

OPERATIONAL CONCERNS:

05/21/92

1. LOI\ Excess Air Concerns

2. Burner Line Fires

Jim Nelson - Memo

+ Inerting / pyrites (clean)

Inert - fire prevention

NFPA - Inert every trip?
Sweep immediately?

• Operation controls press pikes
• Pulx explosions

3. High Backend End Temperatures w/ + w/o stabilizers

We've done profiling before + after Outage at benchmark test conditions
I've not completed caks over the last 4 test periods, we're ~~not~~ trying to get testing completed
then find out where we're at.

4. Unit 2 Baghouse ΔP 's

high ΔP clean

9-9 1/2

alarm warning @ 9 max should be 12" blinding
3.7% O₂ 1 1/2" cond. clean

5. Poor Unit Heat Rate

HRIP screen

Feeder calibrations - corrections

6. Bailey Control System Power Supply Problems

Upgrade - 6 modules vs 2 present

7. Circulating Water Pump Discharge Valve Positioning

8. Unit 1 Generator Steady Bearing (T13)

9. UNIT 1 OUTAGE Items

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1. Burner/ Flame Stabilizer Installation

- a. Air Flow Balancing
- b. Turndowns
- c. Scanners
- d. Flames ^{dark} smoky
- e. Burner Thermocouples
- f. Baseline Testing Status
 - 1. NOx
 - 2. flames
 - 3. All pulverizers available
- g. Feeder Calibrations
- h. Windbox Sec Air Dampers
 - 1. H Row
 - 2. LVDT's and cams
- i. Coal Line Restrictors

2. Operational Concerns

- a. Coal Quality
 - 1. Emergency Stockpile drawdown
 - 2. SUFCO coal
- b. Eyebrows
 - 1. SUFCO ash fusion temp (2160 vs 2300+)
- c. O2 Probes/ Controls
calibration
- d.
- e.

f. Pulverizer Perf/ Fineness



Need: LOI trends

stop
stamp
C.I.C.
S.S.
C.I.C.
630-730 gms
Docks walkdown
during ramps
Load Ramps
EA drops during this period
Sparklers
O₂ Kickers ?

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2. LOI Concerns

a. Trends with both units

b. Ash Samples

3. Excess Air Discussion

a. Costs vs Revenues

b. Test Plan (coal quality impact or higher O₂ vs ~~Maint impact~~)

1 Week:

2 days

u1

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/

u2

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2 days

u2

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u1

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dry ash samples

coal quality

4. Burner Performance Report and Final Setup

Blending → Operations

Kickers: O₂ ramps

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BENEFITS / COSTS LOI AND FLY ASH SALES

The following are benefits and costs associated with running higher excess air levels.

Benefits:

1. Perf Improvement due to Unburned Carbon decrease (burn less coal)
Improving UC from 1.0% to 0.5% worth \$47,600 (per year per unit)

2. Revenue from Fly Ash Sales

Typical year 300,000 tons fly ash produced

1991 Pozzolantic Collected 35,381 tons (paid \$69,685 @ 1.97 \$/ton)

Assume tripling of collection 105,000 tons worth \$70,000 (per year per unit)

TOTAL ADDITIONAL BENEFIT \$ 117,600

Costs:

1. Perf Decline due to decreased boiler efficiency (high dry gas loss)
Dry Gas Loss due to 0.5 % increase worth \$160,000 (per year per unit)
2. Perf Decline due to higher economizer exit gas temp
10 F increase in EGOT worth \$260,000 (per year per unit)
3. Perf Decline due to increased leakage across air heaters
2% increase in leakage worth \$40,000 (per year per unit)
4. Perf Decline due to increased Main Steam Sprays
3% increase in MStm sprays worth \$74,000 (per year per unit)
5. Perf Decline due to increased Reheat Steam Sprays
1% increase in HRH sprays worth \$200,000 (per year per unit)
6. Perf Decline due to increase in Sootblowing Steam usage
1% increase in Makeup Flow worth \$180,000 (per year per unit)
7. Cost due to Horsepower Increase (FD and PA fans)
increase due to HP worth \$160,000 (per year per unit)

TOTAL ADDITIONAL COSTS \$ 1,074,000

Additional Impact:

1. Increase Backend Draft (Suction Press Override)
2. Higher Baghouse ΔP 's
3. Increase in NOx levels

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